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In re Application of: R. Martin Emanuele, et al.

Docket No. 19720-0626 (42896-262529)

Serial No. 09/929,819

Filed:

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For:

Therapeutic Delivery Compositions and Methods of Use Thereof

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Transmitted herewith are papers in the above-identified application.

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Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.

Revised Abstract.

Applicant claims small entity status.

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BASIC FEE	<u></u>	<u> </u>	\$370	370	\$740	
TOTAL CLAIMS $-20 = x9 =$				x18 =		
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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED			+140 =		+280 =	
LATE-FILING SURCHARGE			+65 =	65	+130 =	
FOREIGN LANGUAGE SURCHARGE			+130=		+130 =	
OTHER				+435=		
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	A check in the amount of \$435 is attached for the statutory filing fee and late filing surcharge and a check in
_	the amount of \$720 is attached for a four month extension of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Missing Parts, Washington, D.C. 20231, on February 19, 2002.

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• An Abstract not to exceed 150 words in length, commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.72(b)).

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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